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EMPLOYMENT	NYU Assistant Professor of Economics and Data Science	New York, NY September 2026 -
	Stanford GSB Postdoctoral Scholar	Palo Alto, CA September 2025 - August 2026
EDUCATION	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) Ph.D. in Economics and Statistics	Cambridge, MA May 2025
	• Committee: Alberto Abadie, Anna Mikusheva, Tobias Salz	
	London School of Economics BSc. Econometrics and Mathematical Economics	London, UK June 2018
	• First Class Honours; Exchange at UC Berkeley in 2016-2017	
PUBLICATIONS	1. Stretching the Net: Multidimensional Regularization, <i>Econometric Theory</i> , 2023	
	2. Synthetic Controls in Action, <i>Advances in Economics and Econometrics: Twelfth World Congress</i> , 2025	
WORKING PAPERS	1. Synthetic IV Estimation in Panels (with Ahmet Gulek)	
	2. Bayesian and Frequentist Inference for Synthetic Controls (with Ignacio Martinez)	
	3. Predictor Selection for Synthetic Controls, <i>R&R at the Journal of Econometrics</i> .	
	4. The Effects of Regulating Food Delivery Platform Design (with Alejandro Sabal)	
	5. Bagged Polynomial Regression and Neural Networks (with Sylvia Klosin)	
	6. Pushing Back Against Private Practice: the Spanish Physician Public Exclusivity Bonus (with Jon Gruber, Nuria Mas and Judit Vall)	
SEMINARS/ PRESENTATIONS	2025: ASSA, UPF, UZH, Booth - Econometrics and Statistics, IMF, UPenn, Duke, Cornell, NYU, ESWC, Stanford - Data Driven, Microeconomics Class of 2025 Conference, SC ² Conference, UC Davis, APPAM, Boston College, Princeton	
	2024: BSE Forum, North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, EEA-ESEM, IAAE, Google, Columbia Business School (DRO)	
	2023: European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, BSE ML and Energy Workshop, EEA-ESEM, ACIC (oral)	

2022: Rand Causal Inference Symposium, ACIC (poster), DataX Workshop: Synthetic Control Methods (poster), Google, FB, Two Sigma PhD Symposium

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal Referee: Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Econometric Theory, ICML, ICLR, NeurIPS, SERIEs, Plos One
Committees:

- Econometrics Lunch Organizer (Spring 2022)
- President, MIT Graduate Economics Association (2020-21)
- Representative, MIT Graduate Student Council Economics Department (2020-2021)

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- Best Job Market Paper Award – Runner-up, EEA and UniCredit 2024
- ACIC Travel Scholarship, SCI 2023
- Meta Research PhD Fellowship 2022-24
- LaCaixa Postgraduate Fellowship 2020-2022
- George and Obie Shultz Fund 2020
- Principles of Econometrics Award, LSE 2016
- Extraordinary Baccalaureate Award, Catalan Government 2014
- Ernest LLuch Award, UPF 2014

EXPERIENCE

Econometrics Consultant, Ivalua/Catalan Government 2022-2023
 Data Science Intern, Google Chief Economist Team 2021
 Research Professional, Booth School of Business 2018-2019
 Data Science Intern, Quantco 2018
 Data Analyst Intern, Google FBI Team 2017
 Quantitative Research Intern, Capula Investment Management LLP. 2015

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